

**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**OF THE**  
**Officers**  
**OF THE**  
**Town of West Rutland**  
**VERMONT**

**For the Year Ending December 31st**

**1971**

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## WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of West Rutland, in the County of Rutland and the State of Vermont, are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on the first Tuesday of March being the 7th day of March, A.D. 1972 at 9 o'clock A.M. to act on the following business:

Art. (1) To elect all necessary Town Officers as required by law.

Art. (2) To act upon the annual Reports of the Town Officers.

Art. (3) Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for expense on selected roads and cost of maintaining and repairing Town Highways, and if so, how much?

Art. (4) Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List to pay debts and defray expenses of the Town, and if so, how much?

Art. (5) Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money to meet demands of current expenses of the Town until funds can be realized from taxes?

Art. (6) Shall the Town vote to pay current poll and water taxes direct to the Town Treasurer, and if so, on what dates?

Art. (7) Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for Library expenses, and if so, how much?

Art. (8) Shall the Town vote a tax on the Grand List for Recreation of the Town children, and if so, how much?

Art. (9) Shall the Town vote to direct the Listers to set the polls of all inhabitants in the Grand List at \$1.50?

Art. (10) Shall the Town vote to exempt from taxes up to 25% of the Appraisal Value, for a period of 5 years, ALL AND ANY NEW WORKSHOPS, FACTORIES AND MILLS in the same, whose construction will begin in A.D. 1972 and will employ 10 or more persons? Section 3834, 32 V.S.A.

Art. (11) Shall the Town vote to exempt from taxes the first \$15,000.00 of the Appraised Value, EXCLUSIVE OF LAND, for a period of three years from the date of this meeting, ALL BUILDINGS whose construction will begin A.D. 1972 and USED AND OCCUPIED EXCLUSIVELY AS A HOME BY THE ORIGINAL OWNER(S). This exemption will not be granted for any homes with an Appraised Value of less than \$5,000.00. Said EXEMPTION being limited to ONE TRANSACTION within any 10 year period? Section 3836, 32 V.S.A.

Art. (12) Shall the Town vote for the continued membership in the Rutland Regional Planning Commission?

Art. (13) Shall the Town vote to pay a sum of money in support of the Rutland Mental Health Service, Inc., and if so, how much?

Art. (14) Shall the Town vote to pay a sum of money in support of the Rutland Area Visiting Nurse Association, Inc., and if so, how much?

Art. (15) Shall the Town authorize the Selectmen to employ Archibald & Hawthorne, Inc., in accordance with Title 32, Section 4041 V.S.A. to reappraise land and buildings in the town in time for the 1973 Grand List, for \$9,500; and will the Town vote a tax of seven cents on the 1972 Grand List and an equivalent amount on the 1973 Grand List to pay for the same? (This article to be voted on by Australian ballot.)

Art. (16) Will the Town vote to install and maintain a uniform system of accounting and reporting as established by the Auditor of Accounts under 32 V.S.A. Section 163(1)?

Art. (17) To transact any other business deemed proper, not involving the expenditure of Town Funds or any business acted upon in the preceeding articles.

Ballot boxes for the election of Town Officers will be open at 9 o'clock A.M. and close at 6 P.M. Taxpayer business meeting for 1972 will be held at 7 o'clock P.M.

CHESTER P. GODRICK  
FRANK ZECHNER  
ADAM J. KREMPA  
Selectmen

## WARNING

The legal voters of the Town School District of West Rutland, Vermont, are hereby warned to meet at the Town Hall in the town of West Rutland on the first Tuesday of March, being the 7th day of March A.D. 1972 at 9:00 A.M. to act on the following business:

1. To elect all Town School District Officers as required by law.
2. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax on the Grand List to pay debts and defray the expenses of the Town School District, and if so, how much.
3. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax on the Grand List to pay debts and defray the expenses of a kindergarten, and if so, how much.
4. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax of four cents on the Grand List to be used solely for Boys Athletic purposes.
5. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax of three cents on the Grand List to be used solely for Girls Athletic purposes.
6. To see if the Town School District will vote a tax of twenty-nine cents on the Grand List to be used solely to pay a deficit debt.
7. To see if the Town School District will authorize the Board of School Directors or other proper officers, to borrow money to meet the demands of the current expenses of the Town School District until funds can be realized from current taxes.
8. To act upon any other Town School District business which may legally come before the meeting.

ANTHONY TUMIELEWICZ  
DR. CHARLES E. HULTS  
FRANCIS W. JOHNSON  
BARBARA A. CARINI  
JOHN H. BLOOMER  
School Directors

Received for record and recorded this 1st day of February 1972.

V. A. SEVIGNY  
Town Clerk

Polls will be opened at the Town Hall from 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. on March 7, 1972 to vote for the following matters, to wit:

1. To elect by ballot a Moderator, School District Clerk, one member of the Town School Board for a term of 1 year, one member of the Town School Board for a term of 3 years.

## TOWN OFFICERS

(Date after name indicates when term expires. Asterisk before name indicates office to be voted on this year.)

Moderator	*Adam Krempa	1972
Town Clerk	*V. Sevigny	1972
Town Treasurer	*S. Brzoza	1972
Selectmen	*F. Zechner	1972
	A. Krempa	1973
	C. Godrick	1974
School Directors	*A. Tumielewicz	1972
	*B. Carini	1972
	Dr. C. Hulst	1973
	F. Johnson	1973
	J. Bloomer	1974
Road Commissioner	Selectmen	
Tax Collector	Selectmen	
Listers	*G. Covalt	1972
	C. Glidden	1973
	W. Gallipeau	1974
Auditors	*J. Orzell	1972
	S. Kruszewski	1973
	B. Kupferer	1974
Grand Jurors	*A. Anderson	1972
	*V. Drzewiczewski	1972
	*H. Smyrski	1972
First Constable	*W. Trepanier	1972
Second Constable	*J. Davis	1972
Trustees of Public Monies	*E. Bishop	1972
Town Law Agent	Selectmen	1972
Tree Warden	Selectmen	1972
Regional Planning Committee	F. Pawlusiak	
	V. Sevigny	



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The following is a report of the activities of your Town office.

The past year, 1971, was quite an interesting and eventful year. Our Sewer Project dragged its way through most of the year for reasons unknown which caused some confusion. For a period of time streets, sidewalks, lawns and private areas were torn up during construction of the house connection lines. Completion of construction, final seeding and paving is anticipated in the spring of 1972. A sewer plant operator was hired in anticipation that the plant would be started up during the latter part of July but did not take place until November. Several homes in the area have been connected to the system to keep the plant in operation thru the winter. All connections will be completed during the spring of the year in a minimum of time.

The Town Recreational area financed thru local funds, State and BOR funds got underway. Construction started in July of 1971 thru September. The area was cleared, a pond was excavated, also final grading and seeding of the area around the pond was completed. A small area for parking will be completed in the spring. Some tables and fireplaces will be added for use thru the summer months. Final plans for a bath house and facilities have been drawn up and sent for approval to Montpelier. The completion of this project depends on the availability of BOR funds, which are limited. We have a fine area started and all people concerned should try to keep this area clean and free from vandalism.

The road work accomplished this year included about .7 of a mile of extended tar road. Some area's shoulders were widened and strengthened with fill. A gradall was rented and with the use of our trucks we cleaned drainage ditches along the highways which hasn't been done for some time. Along Route 133, we extended and replaced wooden guardrails with steel posts and cable. We repaved about .8 of a mile of road with hot mix and resurfaced 2 miles with peastone and grits. The Boardman Hill bridge was in poor condition and was in need of repairs. With the assistance of the State and our own employees, the bridge was repaired and back in use within a short period of time. In most small towns, as in West Rutland, funds are not available for purchasing of all equipment that is needed to maintain highways.

We have had a statement of progress from our Town Planning Committee. They have held a number of meetings and are in the process of compiling plans and ordinances for the Town of West Rutland. A public hearing will be held in the near future to revue these plans and ordinances.

In conclusion, we thank you for your cooperation in the past year.

CHESTER P. GODRICK  
ADAM J. KREMPA  
FRANK ZECHNER  
Board of Selectmen

# SELECTMEN'S PROPOSED BUDGET—1972

## General Account

### Receipts:

	Anticipated 1971	Actual 1971	Anticipated 1972
Cash on Hand	\$ 6,519.32	\$ 6,519.32	\$ 4,789.06
Fire District	200.00	83.00	100.00
Delinquent Taxes	3,500.00	8,815.23	8,000.00
Insurance Reimbursement	1,363.00	1,368.00	1,370.00
Dog Licenses	475.00	577.50	550.00
Liquor Licenses	525.00	562.50	525.00
Town Hall Rental/Kindergarten	1.00	501.00	1.00
OAA from Polls	5,600.00	5,640.00	5,600.00
Highway Account	6,753.31	—	8,827.38
Highway Account—Overadvance	—	13,266.66	—
Town Land Rental	50.00	—	100.00
Coke Machine—Town Hall	50.00	65.07	50.00
Tree Reimbursement	—	95.00	—
Ballot Clerks	—	84.00	50.00
Building/ Dump Permits	—	163.75	100.00
Unlisted Poll	—	15.00	—
Sale of Radiators	—	126.10	—
Town Reports— reimbursements	—	340.00	340.00
Railroad Revenue Sharing	—	—	1,216.00
	<u>\$25,036.63</u>	<u>\$38,222.13</u>	<u>\$31,618.44</u>



# General Account

## Disbursements:

	Anticipated 1971	Actual 1971	Anticipated 1972
Memorial Day	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Regional Planning	578.00	578.00	650.00
Social Security	850.00	782.57	850.00
Old Age Assistance	5,100.00	5,089.50	5,100.00
State Agricultural Tax	768.00	768.00	752.00
Cemeteries	300.00	113.90	300.00
Civil Defense	30.00	26.80	30.00
Election Expenses/Town Reports	1,600.00	1,724.56	1,700.00
Insurance	2,400.00	2,714.42	2,800.00
Interest	1,000.00	1,942.08	1,500.00
Legal Expenses	250.00	852.20	1,000.00
Police Service	400.00	364.00	1,000.00
Street/Traffic Lights	9,000.00	9,413.08	10,000.00
Town Buildings (fuel, electricity, phone, material, supplies)	8,000.00	15,807.28	8,000.00
Town Dump	3,500.00	4,670.46	5,000.00
Town Officers (salaries, expenses, Poll Tax Assistants)	6,200.00	9,962.00	7,500.00
Town Manager (salary, expenses)	4,320.00	—	—
Town Dues	230.00	238.00	238.00
Town Offices (salaries, supplies)	4,000.00	4,317.68	4,500.00
Tree Work	500.00	524.50	500.00
Tax Statements	800.00	784.83	800.00
Advertising	100.00	157.05	150.00
Contributions			
Humane Society	100.00	—	200.00
Mental Health	675.00	675.33	—
BROC	—	675.33	—
County Tax	1,400.00	2,167.68	2,200.00
Water Shed	25.00	—	25.00
Highway Account repayment	6,000.00	—	8,827.38
Delinquent Tax Notices	25.00	3.75	—
Green Up Day	—	75.60	75.00
Program Planning Committee	—	26.40	25.00

Sewer Overcharges refunded	—	568.00	—
Welfare	400.00	—	—
	<u>\$58,651.00</u>	<u>\$65,123.00</u>	<u>\$63,822.38</u>
Total Disbursements Anticipated		\$63,822.38	
Total Receipts Anticipated		<u>\$31,618.44</u>	
Total Amount to be Raised from Taxes		\$32,203.94	

#### PROPOSED TAX RATE

47¢ on Grand List of \$68,273.82 to raise \$32,088.70

### Highway Account

#### Receipts:

	Anticipated 1971	Actual 1971	Anticipated 1972
Cash on Hand	\$ 1,346.69	\$ 1,346.69	\$ 494.81
State Aid—W.M.	846.50	846.50	846.50
Town Highways—W.M.	506.50	536.50	1,073.00
Town Highways	5,789.82	6,116.10	6,116.10
1971 Balance	1,486.46	1,486.46	—
State Aid Construction—Reg.	2,878.10	3,301.35	3,301.35
Resurfacing—Gravel	48.50	—	—
State Aid Retreatment	3,000.00	3,572.96	4,000.00
Route 4	38.00	—	300.00
R. G. Letendre Corp.	—	—	3,205.37
	<u>\$15,940.57</u>	<u>\$17,206.56</u>	<u>\$19,337.13</u>

**Disbursements:**

Route 4	\$ 750.00	\$ 413.35	\$ 500.00
State Aid Patrol	144.80	144.80	144.80
State Aid Retreatment	4,500.00	5,359.44	6,000.00
State Aid Construction	2,878.10	3,489.87	4,951.35
State Aid Town Highway	7,276.28	10,297.17	8,810.70
Resurfacing—Gravel	72.75	—	—
Town Highway Maintenance	9,000.00	11,641.89	11,500.00
Winter Maintenance	18,000.00	24,994.13	22,000.00
Social Security	800.00	604.45	800.00
Town Manager (salary, expenses)	4,320.00	—	—
General Account—overadvance	—	13,266.66	—
	<u>\$47,741.93</u>	<u>\$70,211.76</u>	<u>\$54,706.85</u>
Total Disbursements Anticipated		\$54,706.85	
Total Receipts Anticipated		<u>\$19,337.13</u>	
Total Amount to be Raised from Taxes		\$35,369.72	

**PROPOSED TAX RATE**

51¢ on Grand List of \$68,273.82 to raise \$34,819.65

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

### General & Recreation Accounts—Cash Receipts

Current Taxes	\$472,705.77
Proctor Trust Co.—Loan	135,000.00
Highway Account—Advance	13,266.66
Delinquent Taxes Collected	8,765.03
School Reimbursements:	
Insurance	982.00
Town Reports	340.00
Ballots	84.00
Rents:	
Kindergarten	1.00
Cable TV	500.00
Licenses:	
Beer & Liquor	562.50
Dog	577.50
Coke Machine	65.07
American Legion, Insurance Refund	386.00
Radiators Sold	126.10
Fire District, Town Reports & Fire Alarm	83.00
Tree Removal	95.00
State of Vt., BOR FUND	11,997.17
Unlisted Polls	15.00
Dump Permits	124.25
Building Permits	39.50
Additional Per. Prop. Tax	50.20
Total Cash Receipts	<u>\$645,765.75</u>

## BUREAU OF OUTDOOR RECREATION (BOR)

Dufresne-Henry	\$ 6,254.00
Equipment:	
Chev. 70	16.80
AC Loader	88.00
Labor:	
John Corey	106.30
Robert Kupferer	119.80
Leon Boutwell	6.25
James Pak, Seeding & Fertilizing	1,600.00
Jos. Skaza Sr., Backhoe	20.00
Sand & Gravel	687.56
Earle & Merry, Inc.	19,309.13
Pipe	474.12
Total Disbursements	\$28,681.96

## RECREATION DISBURSEMENTS

Richard Pietryka	\$ 400.00
Jeanne Wiskoski	280.00
Social Security	46.39
Little League Donation	100.00
Fire Department	450.00
Recreation Workshop	6.00
Chas. Glidden, Install. Lights & Supplies	89.73
Disc Jockey	30.00
CVPS	43.76
Flood Lights	18.90
Record Player	89.80
Fuel	102.06
Supplies, Skating Rink	344.31
Jos. Skaza Jr., Backhoe	145.00
John Tade, Labor	34.00
Adam Krempa, Mowing	39.00
Legal Services	75.00
Halloween Expenses	130.20
J. P. Carrara, Land Purchase	505.03
Fire District, Thawing Water Lines	13.30
Police Work	10.00
Total Disbursements	\$2,952.48

## GENERAL ORDERS DRAWN

Marie Kramarz, Secretary	\$ 3,434.00
Beverly Kupferer, Office	69.50
Edward Blair, Dump	927.00
Labor:	
George Sherman	261.70
Leon Boutwell	204.50
John Smith	26.80
John Corey	819.95
Robert Kupferer	468.15
William Cook	6.25
Joseph Gallant, Custodian	405.00
Equipment:	
AC Loader	785.00
Chev. 60	252.00
Chev. 70	492.80
Equipment Hired—Dump	677.25
Social Security	782.57
Gravel	202.50
Sewer Bond—Overcharges refunded	568.00
Taconic Sports. Club—Rent (Dump Area)	61.88
Chet Godrick, Selectmen's Meetings & Labor	3,325.23
Tree Service	410.00
Town Hall Repairs	414.82
Dump Stickers	318.15
Legal Services	852.20
Town Reports	1,159.24
Town Hall Heating System	12,577.24
Fiske Electric	497.59
3M Copier	433.25
Memorial Day, Post No. 87	100.00
Proctor Trust Co., Interest	1,942.08
Geo. Covalt, Lister's Services	1,034.81
Walter Gallipeau, Lister's Services	302.42
Chas. Glidden, Lister's Services	509.70
Poll Tax Assistants	277.30
Selectmen's Salaries	900.00
Treasurer's Salary	1,963.86
Auditor's Salaries	750.00
Town Clerk Services	284.00
Police Patrol	391.00
Town Garage Supplies	132.98
Office Supplies	216.81
Lister's Supplies	30.95
Town Clerk's Supplies	249.28

Town Hall Supplies	208.52
Dump Supplies	10.95
Tax Statements	784.83
Election Expenses	495.29
Health Officer, Salary	200.00
CVPS	9,654.68
Fuel & Gas	481.56
Telephone	390.99
Advertising	210.18
Postage	262.23
Dues	1,584.00
Bove-McGinnis, Insurance	2,448.00
Hospitalization Insurance	266.42
	<u>\$56,515.41</u>

**Money Transfers, General Orders:**

Highway Account—Advance	\$ 53,500.00
School—Advance	287,453.02
Library—Advance	4,096.43
Sewer Account—Advance	75,000.00
Fire District—Advance	25,688.87
Proctor Trust Co.	105,000.00
County Tax	2,167.68
Old-Age Assistance Tax	5,089.50
Benn-Rut Opportunity Council	675.33
Rutland Mental Heath	675.33
	<u>\$559,346.16</u>
Total General Orders Drawn by Selectmen	<u>\$615,861.57</u>
Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 1971	\$ 6,519.32
Total Cash Receipts	<u>645,765.75</u>
Opening Balance plus Receipts	<u>\$652,285.07</u>
Less General Orders Drawn	\$615,861.57
Less Recreation Orders Drawn	2,952.48
Less BOR Orders Drawn	<u>28,681.96</u>
Checking Account Balance as of December 31, 1971	<u>\$ 4,789.06</u>
Liabilities over Assets as per Balance Sheet	<u>\$ 1,202.95</u>



## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT & WINTER MAINTENANCE RECEIPTS

General Account, Advance		\$53,500.00
State of Vermont:		
Winter Maintenance	\$1,383.00	
State Aid, Const. & Maint.	6,874.31	
Town Highways	<u>7,602.56</u>	<u>15,859.87</u>
Total Receipts		\$69,359.87

## HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

### Disbursements:

Labor—Road	
George Sherman	\$ 689.85
Leon Boutwell	1,028.75
John Corey	2,572.97
Robert Kupferer	1,857.85
Robert Geryk	82.50
William Cook	16.25
Labor—Sewer	
George Sherman	35.10
John Corey	45.00
Robert Kupferer	45.00
Equipment:	
Chev. 60	1,490.40
Chev. 70	2,396.80
Chev. 70—Sewer	89.60
International	40.50
AC Loader	1,440.00
Jos. Skaza Jr., Backhoe	204.00
Hot Mix	3,743.87
Chloride	305.00
Manhole Repairs	55.85
Supplies	484.35
Materials for Bridge	30.03
Cold Patch	668.79
E. Pelletier, Gravel & Crawler	2,376.68
Peastone	914.32
Steel Posts, Anchors & Cables	986.65
Asphalt	943.49
Tree Work	445.00
Roadside Mowing, A. Krempa	266.50
Gradall Rental	2,360.00
Materials, Boardman Hill Bridge	1,315.11

Bulldozing Whipple Hollow Road	65.00
Social Security	604.48
General Account, Over—Advance	13,266.66
State of Vermont:	
Bridge Work	424.01
State Aid Patrol	144.80
Grader Work	1,395.57
State Aid Work	2,386.89
Total Disbursements	<u>\$45,217.62</u>

## WINTER MAINTENANCE

### Disbursements:

Equipment:	
Chev. 60	\$ 3,058.68
Chev. 70	3,127.35
AC Loader	1,196.00
Chev. 80	116.35
Sidewalk Plow	187.50
Jos. Czachor, Cemetery Plowing	180.00
Francis Cain, Sidewalk Plowing	705.00
Chet Godrick, Plowing	128.50
Chet Godrick, Truck & Driver	48.00
Labor:	
George Sherman	1,695.75
John Smith	1,399.80
Felix Geryk	38.75
John Corey	819.15
Dennis Smith	20.00
Robert Geryk	20.00
Leon Boutwell	531.43
Robert Kupferer	23.40
Harold Wilkins Jr.	27.50
Labor—Sewer	
George Sherman	190.70
John Corey	170.00
John Smith	108.20
Robert Kupferer	152.50
Chet Godrick	3.75
Equipment: Sewer	
Chev. 60	86.40
Chev. 70	515.20
AC Loader	40.00
Cold Patch—Sewer	467.28

Sand	1,261.35
Salt	8,419.03
Cold Patch	158.31
E. Pelletier, Sand & Gravel	26.25
A. Fabian & Son, Hauling Salt	72.00
Total Disbursements	\$24,994.13
Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 1971	\$ 1,346.69
Receipts—Highway & Winter Maintenance	69,359.87
	<u>\$70,706.56</u>
Less Disbursements—Highway & WM	70,211.75
Checking Account Balance as of December 31, 1971	\$ 494.81
Liabilities over Assets as per Balance Sheet	<u>\$ 9,546.51</u>

### EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

Highway Account	\$13,784.78
General Account—Equipment Hired	1,614.30
Town Farm	12.00
Sale of Equipment	900.00
Sewer Project	154.00
Proctor Trust Co., Truck Loan	3,000.00
Total Receipts	<u>\$19,465.08</u>

### Equipment Account Disbursements

Labor:	
George Sherman	\$ 227.30
John Smith	68.30
John Corey	593.20
Robert Kupferer	135.95
Leon Boutwell	338.20
Felix Geryk	8.75
Equipment:	
Chev. 60	734.60
Chev. 70	532.85
Snowplow	821.70
Bobcat	20.77
Sidewalk Plow	78.41
International	120.34
Chev. 80	11.95
AC Loader	2,676.65
Sander	192.27
Chains & Links	134.99
Truck Registration	40.00

Kerosene & Oil	245.33
Chain Saw Repairs	11.25
Bove-McGinnis Insurance	1,412.00
Social Security	42.48
Aux. Supplies & Tools	332.47
Fuel	2,300.20
Sidewalk Tractor Purchase	900.00
International Truck Purchase	2,000.00
Chev. 80 Partial Payment	5,000.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$18,980.26</u>
Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 1971	\$ 2,339.39
Plus Receipts	<u>19,465.08</u>
	\$21,804.47
Less Disbursements	<u>18,980.26</u>
Checking Account Balance as of December 31, 1971	\$ 2,824.21
Liability—Refer to Balance Sheet	<u>3,000.00</u>
Liabilities over Assets	(\$ 175.79)

### TOWN FARM RECEIPTS

Sale of Lots	\$11,115.50
Savings Account—Interest	<u>532.63</u>
Total Receipts	\$11,648.13

### TOWN FARM DISBURSEMENTS

Lot Surveying	\$ 2,457.15
Labor:	
John Corey	22.10
Leon Boutwell	21.25
Robert Kupferer	7.80
AC Loader	12.00
Jos. Skaza Sr., Connecting Service	10.00
Transfer Taxes	15.50
Harold Taylor, Tapping Pipe	55.00
House Connection & Supplies	110.39
Transfer to Savings Account	8,000.00
Legal Fees	100.00
Hired Equipment & Parts	120.88
Jos. Skaza Jr., Installing Water	229.00
John Tade, Labor	36.25

Total Disbursements		\$11,197.32
Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 1971		\$ 1,564.42
Receipts from Sale of Lots		11,115.50
		<u>\$12,679.92</u>
Less Disbursements		11,197.32
Checking Account Balance as of December 31, 1971		\$ 1,482.60
Savings Account		\$11,674.51
Transferred from Checking Account	\$8,000.00	
Interest	532.63	8,532.63
		<u>\$20,207.14</u>
Total in Savings Account		\$20,207.14
Assets over Liabilities		\$21,689.74

### SEWER ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

Proctor Trust Co.	\$ 75,000.00
State of Vermont—Bond Sale	520,000.00
HUD	47,891.25
General Account—Advance	75,000.00
Sewer Permits	210.00
	<u>\$718,101.25</u>
Total Receipts	

### SEWER ACCOUNT DISBURSEMENTS

Fiske Enterprise Contract No. 1	\$ 66,170.89
R. G. Letendre Contract No. 2	52,483.65
Dufresne-Henry	41,759.20
Municipal Bond Bank—Interest	23,333.33
Proctor Trust Co.—Bond	520,000.00
Proctor Trust Co., Interest	2,739.82
Legal Fees & Services	3,382.16
Labor:	
Leon Boutwell	44.20
John Tade	33.75
John Corey	33.30
Robert Kupferer	2,160.60
Equipment:	
Chev. 60	28.80
Chev. 70	75.60
AC Loader	16.00
Meetings:	
Chet Godrick	708.75
Adam Krempa	308.25
Frank Zechner	298.25
Easement	1.00

Water Resources Permit	50.00
CVPS	357.37
Advertising	60.72
Saddles, Dressers & Clamps	660.00
Gravel	215.56
Telephone	144.20
Supplies	393.94
Chlorine Cylinders	73.80
Travel Expense:	
John Corey	17.20
Robert Kupferer	68.05
Chet Godrick—Sewer Checking	22.50
R. G. Letendre—House Connections	19,757.62
Jos. Skaza Jr., Backhoe	216.00
Social Security	178.89
Total Disbursements	\$735,793.40
Checking Account Balance as of January 1, 1971	\$ 17,844.57
Receipts	<u>718,101.25</u>
	\$735,945.82
Less Disbursements	<u>735,793.40</u>
Checking Account Balance as of December 31, 1971	\$ 152.42
Liabilities over Assets	\$ 77,789.43

## SCHOOL DISTRICT—CASH RECEIPTS

July 1, 1970 to June 30, 1971

Current Taxes	\$240,405.15
Proctor Trust Co., H&V	15,400.00
Tuitions:	
Ira	\$24,650.27
Clarendon	6,825.00
Tinmouth	14,788.48
Middletown Spa.	<u>14,700.00</u>
	60,963.75
State Aid	59,835.00
State of Vt., H&V	3,399.92
Voided Checks	1,551.29
PTO Supplies	46.41
Athletic Dept., Receipts	1,189.30
General Acct., Loan Pymt.	25,000.00
Proctor Trust Co.	50,000.00
Proctor Trust Co., Town Hall	27,000.00
Refunds	695.46
Voc. Trans., Refund	1,086.00

Super Refund	47.54
Driver Ed. Refund	885.75
General Account, Advance	10,000.00
Supplies	10.00
Total Cash Receipts	\$497,515.57

## SCHOOL DIRECTORS' ORDERS DRAWN

July 1, 1970 to June 30, 1971

Administration:	
110A Board Salaries	\$ 610.00
110C Treasurer's Salaries	3,327.12
110G Supervisory Union	14,619.50
Title I \$2,000.00	
Rut. Cen. Sup. Union \$12,619.50	
110K Census Salary	64.90
130A Board Expenses	479.46
130C Treasurer's Expenses	133.30
130D School Election	552.06
130Q Administrative Misc. Expenses	578.06
Instruction:	
211 Principal's Salary	11,946.62
213 Teacher's Salaries	248,883.03
DT213 Driver Training Salary	2,224.00
215A Secretarial Salaries (Principal's Office)	3,680.00
220 Textbooks	3,231.76
230A Library Books	1,676.39
230B Periodicals & Newspapers	746.97
230C Audiovisual Materials	1,145.78
230D Library Expenses (Other)	24.05
230E Manipulative Instruct. Device	100.88
240 Teaching Supplies	18,955.85
250 Other Instruct. Expenses	11.00
250A Instructional Supplies	3,026.39
250B Travel Expenses for Instruction	279.00
250C Expenses for Instruction	2,220.87
Health Services:	
A-3410 Salary—School Nurse	6,188.30
420A Supplies—Health Services	25.21
420B Travel Expenses—School Nurse	64.15
Pupil Transportation:	
510B Bus Drivers' Salaries	2,145.50
520 Contracted Bus Services	4,294.20
560A Gas—School Bus	1,162.33
560D Parts—School Bus	80.55



560E Garage Expense—School Bus	9.90
560G Repairs—School Bus	384.84
Operation of Plant:	
Custodial Salaries	18,709.46
620 Contracted Services	245.50
630 Fuel for Buildings	13,356.25
640A Water & Sewage	167.50
640B Electricity	2,875.64
640C Gas	51.80
640D Telephone	814.11
650 Supplies	173.20
650A Custodial Supplies	6,896.23
650C Care of Grounds—Supplies	2.19
650G Vehicle Maintenance—Private Garage	228.10
Maintenance of Plant:	
710 Maintenance	183.75
710B Repairs to Buildings	4,091.25
720A Contracted Services—Grounds	895.28
720B Contracted Services—Buildings	8,808.35
720C Contracted Services—Equipment	3,939.99
730A Replacement of Instruct. Equipment	43.25
730B Replacement of Non-Instruct. Equip.	4,398.41
740A Upkeep of Grounds	64.95
740B Building Repairs—Materials	2,337.48
740C Equipment Repairs	84.00
Fixed Charges:	
810B Social Security	17,121.13
820A Insurance—Property	312.00
820B Insurance—Employee	5,544.63
820C Insurance—Liability	1,217.70
820F Judgement	80.00
Student Body Activities:	
1020 Supplies & Travel	836.65
Community Services:	
1110A Patrol—Salaries	610.00
1110B Other Expenses	8.32
Capital Outlay:	
1210A Legal Fees—Title Search	157.50
1210B Site Acquisition	7,000.00
1220A Professional Services—Buildings	4.50
1220C Remodeling	2,316.45
1230B Administration Equipment	661.36
1230C Instructional Equipment	8,119.54
Interest on Debts:	
1320B Short Term Loan	1,229.34
1320C Long Term Loan	826.47

Tuition:		
1410A Other School Districts		<u>2,779.00</u>
		\$450,063.25
NYC	\$ 183.90	
Proctor Trust Co., H&V	<u>30,800.00</u>	<u>30,983.90</u>
		\$481,047.15

### TOWN HALL

Maintenance of Plant:		
710B Repairs to Building—Painting	\$ 3,878.75	
720B Contracted Services—Building	9,833.27	
720C Contracted Services—Equipment	12.00	
730B Replacement of Non-Instruc. Equip.	519.95	
740B Building Repairs—Materials	662.19	
Capital Outlay:		
1220C Remodeling	10,802.55	
1230F Equipment for Building	<u>1,312.50</u>	
	\$ 27,021.21	
Total Disbursements	\$508,068.36	
Opening Balance—July 1, 1970	\$(10,353.45)	
Total Receipts	<u>497,515.57</u>	
Total Cash Available	\$487,162.12	
Less Total Disbursements	<u>508,068.36</u>	
Cash Balance as of June 30, 1971	\$(20,906.24)	
Liabilities:		
Proctor Trust Co.	50,000.00	
General Account—Advance	<u>10,000.00</u>	
Total Liabilities over Assets	\$ 80,906.24	

STANLEY J. BRZOZA  
Town Treasurer

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have verified the existence of stated cash balances, examined the accounts and records of town officers and to our knowledge the statements and reports of receipts and disbursements as of December 31, 1971 are correct.

JOHN L. ORZELL  
SOPHIE M. KRUSZEWSKI  
BEVERLY J. KUPFERER

## EXPLANATION OF THE GRAND LIST

Total listed valuation of Real Estate for Taxation	\$5,929,795.00
Total listed valuation of Personal Estate for Taxation	<u>728,387.00</u>
Total	\$6,658,182.00
One percent of total listed valuation of Real and Personal Estate	\$ 66,581.82
1,128 Taxable Polls at \$1.50	<u>1,692.00</u>
1971 Total Grand List	\$ 68,273.82

### Tax Computation Table Based on Grand List of \$68,273.82

1¢ will raise	\$ 682.74
2¢ will raise	1,365.48
3¢ will raise	2,048.21
4¢ will raise	2,730.95
5¢ will raise	3,413.69
6¢ will raise	4,096.43
7¢ will raise	4,779.17
8¢ will raise	5,461.91
9¢ will raise	6,144.64
10¢ will raise	6,827.38
\$1.00 will raise	68,273.82

# **TAX STATEMENT—1971**

<b>Town Tax Rate</b>	<b>Grand List</b>	<b>Tax Rate</b>	<b>Tax</b>
General	\$68,273.82	\$ .50	\$ 34,136.91
Highway	68,273.82	.46	31,405.96
Recreation	68,273.82	.04	2,730.95
Recreation Project	68,273.82	.04	2,730.95
Library	68,273.82	.06	4,096.43
Highway Deficit	68,273.82	.10	6,827.38
School	68,273.82	4.00	273,095.28
Athletics	68,273.82	.04	2,730.95
School Bond	68,273.82	.29	19,799.41
Town Hall	68,273.82	.10	6,827.38
Benn-Rut. Opp. Coun.	68,273.82	.01	682.74
Mental Health	68,273.82	.01	682.74
Sewer Tax	68,273.82	.30	20,482.15
Tax Rate		\$5.95	\$406,229.23
Old Age Assistance Tax			5,640.00
Fire Taxes Assessed			9,774.34
Sewer Bond Tax Assessed			35,560.00
Sewer Maint. Tax Assessed			16,016.00
			<u>\$473,219.57</u>
<b>Taxes Levied</b>			
Property		\$396,161.83	
Poll		10,073.04	
Fire Tax		9,768.70	
Old Age Assistance		5,640.00	
Sewer Bond		35,560.00	
Sewer Maintenance		16,016.00	\$473,219.57
Accounted for as follows:			
Collected		\$455,873.90	
Uncollected		17,345.67	\$473,219.57

# UNCOLLECTED TAXES YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1971

Name	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Abramski, Leo J.						\$ 52.00
Bania, Joseph F.						14.23
Barcomb, Bernard E.						15.07
Barcomb, Joyce A.						15.07
Bartlett, Maurice						26.00
Bill Smith's Used Car Lot						13.37
Bioty, Henry & Clover						503.26
Bishop, William & Joan						1.50
Bishop, William & Joan						22.50
Bizon, Marie			\$ 12.52			
Bizon, Stanley			12.52			
Bristol, Lawrence & Sandra				\$ 21.02		
Brown, Andrew R.				12.22	\$ 12.79	13.93
Boudreau, Frederick & Julie						10.44
Boudreau, Frederick & Julie						94.60
Brown, Corrine L.					13.03	
Brown, Gertrude			12.28			
Brown, Paul H.					13.03	
Brown, Paul H. & Corrine L.					132.45	300.35
Brown, Richard			12.28			
Brown, Richard & Gertrude I.					142.72	163.62
Brown, Sharon						14.23
Brown, Walter & Hazel	\$ 34.38	\$ 191.54	63.05	93.79	12.45	67.01
Bruno, Barbara A.					13.03	
Brytowski, Marion	17.75	13.55	13.36	13.30		
Brytowski, Vincent	17.75	13.55	13.36	13.30		
Brytowski, Vincent & Marion					165.48	
Burney, Grace			12.52	12.46		
Burney, Richard			12.52			
Burns, Barbara M.						26.00
Burns, Frances			1.18			
Burns, Joseph			1.18			

Bushey, Thomas C.			14.23
Cameron, Barbara G.		13.03	14.23
Cameron, Rachael, Edw., & Betty			200.00
Cameron, Ralph F.		13.03	14.23
Carlson, Eric C.		13.03	13.93
Carrara, Maude	16.35		
Carter, Garth		1083.16	
Carruth, Donald E.		13.03	
Carvey, Robert F.			14.23
Champine, Russell B.		13.03	
Chandler, Amos W.		13.03	
Chapman, J. H. Est.	7.52	7.48	
Chesley, George W.			13.93
Clark, Arthur D.			14.23
Clodgo, Victor B.			14.23
Conway, Robert		48.10	
Czachor, Anthony & Sophie			11.55
Davis, Albert H.		12.79	13.93
Davis, Albert H. & Theresa M.		12.97	
Davis, Doralyn A.			13.93
Davis, Dwight			193.14
Davis, Richard B. Sr.			13.93
Davis, Theresa M.		12.79	13.93
Demers, Gaylord C.		12.46	
Demers, Linda L.		12.46	
Derby Carol A.			14.23
Derby Earldon R.			14.23
Drinwater, Bonita M.			13.93
Drinwater, Charles W.			13.93
Duprey, Elsie M.		12.79	13.93
Duprey, Raymond R.		12.79	13.93
Dwyer, Thomas Est.			15.37
Dydo, Anthony A. Jr.			13.93

Dydo, Anthony & Catherine	113.90	209.16	203.70	202.02	145.32	
Dydo, Catherine						13.93
Dydo, Frances M.	15.75	12.47	12.28	12.22	12.79	
Dzuibek, Stanley J.						14.23
Eddy, Mrs. Frank	16.35	12.71				
Fleming, Eileen F.					13.03	14.23
Fleming, Gerald F.						14.23
Fleming, Richard J.					13.03	14.23
Fontaine, Beatrice			1.18	1.53	1.66	15.07
Fontaine, Denis H.				1.53	1.66	15.07
Fredette, Mary L.					13.03	14.23
Fredette, Robert W.					13.03	14.23
Fuller, Blanche						26.00
Gagnon, Brenda L.				12.46		
Garlarneau, Francis J. Jr.				12.46		
Galarneau, William T.						14.23
Gallipeau, Walter & Mary						26.00
Gilleather, William J.	16.35	12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03	14.23
Gilligan, Barbara	15.75					
Gilligan, William P.		126.09	171.49	170.08	183.51	210.37
Godzik, Frank J.					13.03	14.23
Grabowski, Stanley M. Jr.					13.03	14.23
Grandchamp, Norbert A.						13.93
Grandchamp, Rose M.						13.93
Gray, George				72.06	32.88	37.81
Gray, George E.						14.23
Gray, Harry Jr. & George						326.62
Hall, Edward				12.46	13.03	14.23
Hall, Helen B.				12.46	13.03	14.23
Hall, Robert		25.70	49.30	24.85		
Haskins, Carleton	16.35	12.71				
Haskins, Marguita	16.35	12.71				
Henderson, Dorothy J.					13.03	14.23
Henderson, Raymond C.					13.03	14.23



Hidde, Pamela A.					13.03	14.23
Hier, Charles & Anna						115.82
Hier, Gerald W.						14.23
Hier, Gerald W. & Sylvia I.					124.66	526.50
Hier, Sylvia I.	16.35	12.47				14.23
Holden, Hannelore S.						13.93
Holden, Lawrence J.						13.93
Horton, Dolores F.						14.23
Horton, Harry E.						14.23
Hubbard, Donald T. & Wilmah B.		154.20				
Hyjek, Edward H.						14.23
Hyjek, Felix Jr.	16.35					
Hyjek, Marie	16.35					
Jackson, Harold W.						14.23
Jarrosiak, Philip			12.52	12.46		
Jarrosiak, Sandra			12.52	12.46		
Johnson, Carol			12.28			
Johnson, Edward & Gladys		249.00				
Johnson, Engnai & Birdie						26.00
Jones, Griffith	16.35					
Jones, Helen F.						14.23
Jones, Joy Ann	16.35	4.84				
Jones, Patricia A.						14.23
Jones, Robert L.						14.23
Kapitanski, John						14.23
Kasmider, Helen	16.35	12.71				
Kasprzak, Mary			12.52			
Krakowka, Thomas & Zoe E.				138.73	173.87	
Krakowka, Zoe E.						14.23
Kulig, Frank & Sophie						26.00
Kurant, John Jr.						486.70
Lafond, Henry & Mary						23.85
Landry, Raymond A.						13.93
Landry, Violet I.						13.93
Larose, Louise E.						14.23
Larson, Lisa		12.71				

Larson, Maynard		12.71			
Lavoie, Wilfred A.	15.75	12.47	12.28		
LeBlanc, Wilford			12.28		
Lebo, Rose I.					14.23
Lebo, Vaughn W.					14.23
Lee, Michael J.				13.03	
Lefevre, Richard & Sylvia					443.27
Letendre, R. G. Corp.					215.25
Lewis, Edward F.				13.03	14.23
Lewis, Linda L.				13.03	14.23
Levin, Mary S.	85.96				
Lubinsky, Beverly A.					15.07
Marchinkowski, Elizabeth					15.07
Marchinkowski, Frank & Elizabeth					538.68
Martelle, Linda M.				12.79	13.93
Martelle, Wallace W. Sr.				12.79	13.93
Martindale, Dorothy	15.75				
Mike's Restaurant					30.75
Miner, Carmen P.				13.87	
Miner, Eugene F.				13.87	
Moody, Gertrude L.				13.03	14.23
Moody, Willard E.	16.35			13.03	14.23
Morton, Craig			12.28		
McCullough, Gary A.				12.79	
McFee, Edward R.			12.52		
McFee, Edward			80.16		
McGann, Thomas & Mary					52.00
McGann, Thomas & Mary					9.22
McIntyre, James E.		13.55	13.36		
McLaughlin, Donald H.	16.35	12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03
McLaughlin, Donald & Rose		100.24	97.69	96.91	104.32
McLaughlin, Howard L.		12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03
McLaughlin, Rose G.	16.35	12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03
Nartowicz, Joan			12.52	2.03	
Nartowicz, Stanley J.			12.52		
Nolet, Janet R.				13.03	

Nolet, Robert J.						
Oliver, Ruth A.				2.05	13.03	
Orzell, Frank & Bernice						26.00
Pietryka, Stanley & Mary						26.00
Poczobut, Constance A. M.						14.23
Poczobut, Paul H.						14.23
Poczobut, Paul & Constance				265.29	393.22	574.02
Pratt, David R. & Joyce M.				36.07		
Racine, Eva M.				12.46		
Radomski, Beatrice	16.35	12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03	14.23
Razanowski, George						15.07
Rice, Elizabeth A.					12.79	13.93
Rice, Richard E.					12.79	13.93
Rogers, John P.						13.93
Rogers, Mary Ann						13.93
Romig, Betty J.					13.03	
Romig, William A.					13.03	
Ryan, Carol A.				12.46		
Ryan, Charles		12.71	12.52	12.46		
Ryan, Leona		12.71				
Sankowski, Charles S.	15.75		12.28	12.22	12.79	13.93
Sankowski, Zygmunt K.						.45
Senecal, Robert					89.50	
Sienicki, Frances						124.71
Sienicki, Louis & Mary				186.37	200.62	326.62
Slater, John W.			12.52			
Smith, Bonita J.						14.23
Smith, Daniel H.						14.23
Smith, Francis W.				12.46		
Smith, Jeanne L.					13.03	14.23
Smith, Joseph A.						14.23
Smith, Mary E.		12.71		12.46	13.03	14.23
Smith, Warren S.					13.03	14.23
Smith, William R.					13.03	14.23

Smith, William R.			145.29		155.15	274.35
Stacey, Margaret A.						14.23
Stacey, Thomas L.						14.23
Stewart, Hildean			12.52			
Strzelec, Joseph & Eva						26.00
St. Peter, Stuart & Patricia						252.82
St. Louis, Mary						85.85
Therrien, Rodney G.						15.07
Trepanier, Mary E.						14.23
Trepanier, William J.						14.23
Tuohy, Joseph		12.71	12.52			
Visi, Sophie	17.75					
Wasik, Caroline					96.30	
Wasik, Louis S.		12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03	14.23
Wedin, Robert E.						13.93
Weinle, Berniece					41.84	317.40
Wetherby, Bert	16.35	12.71	12.52	12.46	13.03	14.23
Wetherby, Edmund W.						14.23
Wilder, Elsie H.						14.23
Wilder, Judith						14.23
Wilder, Ronald						14.23
Williams, Benjamin H.			12.52	12.46	13.03	
Williams, Daniel D.				12.46		
Williams, Frank J.				12.46	13.03	
Williams, Janice			12.52			
Wincuinias, Caryl A.						14.23
Wincuinias, John A.						14.23
Woods, Ralph	1.44	12.71	12.52			
Woods, Suzanne	16.35	12.71	12.52			
Worth, James		26.99				
Wos, Stanley J.						52.00
Yatsik, Thomas E.					13.03	
Young, Margaret	107.45					

Young, Sandra J.  
Zawistowski, Jos. & Mary

12.52

52.00

\$ 760.60

\$ 2,497.95

\$ 1,278.06

\$ 1,724.73

\$ 2,952.09

\$ 8,666.00

All Taxes become delinquent the day following due payment date.  
Credit is given as payment is received by Tax Collector after books closed.

### TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1971

Taxes Collected by Tax Collector

\$8,765.03

Collected & held by Tax Collector  
after Accounts closed.

\$3,818.38

ALL UNCOLLECTED TAXES are subject to 6% interest per year from date they become delinquent.

**WEST RUTLAND FREE LIBRARY CORPORATION  
WEST RUTLAND, VERMONT**

**For Year 1971**

**Receipts:**

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1970		\$ 927.40
Fletcher Proctor Fund	\$1,500.00	
Town of West Rutland	4,051.99	
Fines	58.41	
Rent	207.50	
Lost Book	4.68	
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		5,822.58
Total Receipts		<hr/> \$6,749.98

**Expenses:**

Wages and Services	\$3,247.00	
Books	183.00	
Fuel	1,016.68	
Magazines	96.90	
Lights	198.48	
Payroll Taxes	134.75	
Insurance	201.00	
Water Rent	44.00	
Repairs	339.46	
Rutland Herald	44.00	
Telephone	124.55	
Safety Deposit Box	5.00	
Miscellaneous	355.95	
Supplies	51.73	
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Total Expenses		\$6,042.50
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1971		<hr/> \$707.48

# **FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 WEST RUTLAND, VT.**

## **Financial Report**

Cash on Hand, December 1, 1971		\$ 1,214.36
<b>Receipts:</b>		
Water Rents	\$16,263.87	
Fire District Tax	9,425.00	
Delinquent Fire District Tax	140.25	
Delinquent Water Rents	553.96	
Misc. Labor & Materials	188.86	
Loans	15,000.00	
Outside Fires	711.00	
Total Receipts		<u>42,282.94</u>
Total Cash Available		43,497.30
Less Disbursements		<u>36,965.36</u>
Cash Balance November 30, 1971		6,531.94
<b>Liabilities:</b>		
Tax Anticipation Note	\$10,000.00	
Pleasant St.	1,500.00	
Liabilities over Assets		(4,968.06)
Savings Account Balance	\$ 2,199.72	
1971 Deposit	00.00	
1971 Interest	103.18	
Total Savings Account	<u>\$ 2,302.90</u>	

All Fire District No. 1 Accounts have been checked and found correct.

MARY ST. LOUIS  
KENNETH HANDLEY  
Auditors

Dated as of December 14, 1971



# **UNCOLLECTED WATER RENTS**

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Frank Marchinkowski	38.00	38.00			48.00
Sophie Visi	15.50				
Louis Sienicki	20.50	20.50	25.50	25.50	25.50
Paul Poczbud		38.00	48.00	48.00	48.00
Donald McLaughlin		35.00	45.00	45.00	45.00
Harold Haven		38.00		48.00	48.00
William Trepanier			25.50	25.50	25.50
Leo Abramski			43.00		
Thomas & Zoe Krakowka				22.50	22.50
Paul Brown				67.00	
George Gray				25.50	25.50
Bernice Weinle				25.50	25.50
Bruno Restaurant Inc					67.00
Gerald Hier					25.50
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Total	74.00	169.50	187.00	332.50	406.00
					\$1,191.50

## **FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 WEST RUTLAND, VT.**

### **Disbursements**

**Dec. 1, 1970 Through Nov. 30, 1971**

C. V. Public Service, Services	\$ 940.86
New England Tel & Tel, Services	462.21
Joe Skaza Jr., Labor & Backhoe	2,569.93
John Tade, Labor	701.00
Joe Skaza Sr. Labor & Backhoe	1,558.40
Warren Smith, Labor	318.63
Eddies Gulf, Supplies	78.54
Monroe Wholesale, Supplies	154.94
Utility Gas, Supplies	203.23
Proctor Trust Co., Notes & Interest	18,253.26
Joe Czachor, Services	313.93
Center Rutland Welding, Services	405.00
S. E. Smith Co., Supplies	21.79
Selvignys' Inc., Supplies	361.71
Corcoran Auto, Supplies	45.96
Stanley Brzoza, Services & Salary	489.80
Joe Chrusciel, Services, Salary, Postage & Mileage	548.82
Rosen & Berger, Supplies	4.00
R & S Offset Printing, Services	114.00
Ronnies Esso, Supplies	69.90
State Treasurer, Social Security	250.55
Town of West Rutland, Share of Town Report	68.00

Howard Fire Control, Supplies	11.50
Rose Valve Mfg. Co., Supplies	168.42
C. A. Turner, Supplies	145.04
Maxium Motors, Supplies	40.39
Mobile Maintenance, Services	184.70
Dave Deane, Supplies	641.80
Parker Danner Co., Supplies	95.40
Oakman Electric, Supplies	13.78
Layne Co. of N.Y., Supplies	50.00
L & C Municipal Sales, Supplies	72.70
Lamphere's Store, Supplies	.93
Dydo Auto Body Shop, Services	358.21
Kulig Fuels, Supplies	46.25
H A Manning, Supplies	49.90
Sevigny Country Store, Supplies	20.42
Bove McGuinnis, Insurance	99.00
Kinney, Bell, Pike & Connors, Insurance	172.00
Diamond Bleach Co., Supplies	288.00
H R Prescott, Supplies	566.26
Abel Tire Corp., Supplies	67.34
Postmaster, Postage	104.25
R C Thrall, Services	53.75
Howard Dailey, Firemen Dues	30.00
Mary St. Louis, Salary	55.00
Kenneth Handley, Salary	50.00
L W Doty, Supplies & Services	254.82
Frank Grillo, Services	24.00
Dr. Smolinski, Services	75.00
Rutland Herald, Services	20.96
Dept. of Motor Vehicles	14.00
Marcel Wallett, Services	38.00
Francis Cain, Services	63.00
Green Mt. Rental	18.00
Raymond Maloney, Services	90.00
Warren Eastwick, Insurance	520.00
Western Union	1.80
Michael Godek, Services	10.00
Mobile Oil, Supplies	25.35
Frank Tyminski, Services	20.00
Rullo Jasmin Jr., Services	56.00
Vt. Roofing Co.	1,200.00
Town of Ira, Taxes	220.50
Chet Godrick, Services	20.00
Hickock & Boardman, Insurance	299.00
Pat McCormack, Services	10.00
Firemen's Salary & Outside Fires	2,231.00

Leon Dion, Red Phone	50.00
Stanley Pietryka, Red Phone	50.00
Victor Sevigny, Red Phone	50.00
Wm Harvey, Salary	50.00
Joe Zawistoski, Salary	30.00
Frank Mumford, Salary	40.00
W C Landon, Supplies	164.43
Total Disbursements	<u>\$36,965.36</u>

#### DISTRIBUTION OF DISBURSEMENTS

General Services	\$ 7,693.88
Reservoir	1,793.38
Pump	1,097.94
Fire Dept.	7,081.41
Officers Salaries	603.16
Interest & Loans	18,253.26
Sewer	442.43
	<u>\$36,965.36</u>

#### DOG ACCOUNT—1971

222 licenses issued at \$2.00	\$444.00
43 licenses issued at 3.00	129.00
29 licenses issued at 6.00	174.00
6 licenses issued at 9.00	54.00
3 licenses issued at 1.00	3.00
Total received on licenses	<u>804.00</u>
Less: Fees on 303 licenses	<u>227.25</u>
Remitted to Town Treasurer	577.75

## REPORT ON REGIONAL PLANNING

It is a pleasure to submit this Report of the Rutland Regional Planning Commission. During 1971, the RRPC had a membership of 19 Communities in the Rutland Region. West Rutland is represented by Francis Pawlusiak as Regular Commissioner and Victor Seigny as Alternate. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month.

As one of 14 Regional Commissions in Vermont, the RRPC continued its functions of providing planning assistance, reviewing grant and development applications, providing technical help, assisting at committee, local planning commission and public hearings, giving secretarial and mimeographing services, coordinating with state and Federal agencies, speaking to groups, etc.

The year 1971 saw an increased emphasis on the planning process. Recently enacted environmental legislation has established a review procedure on most developments or subdivisions and local input is required if communities are to maintain maximum local control. Ten RRPC member communities have now adopted plans and eighteen have some form of by-law control, partly through assistance of the RRPC. Plans and model regulations have been prepared for all members and a Regional Plan is being printed.

Despite cutbacks in Federal funding for Commission work, the RRPC continues to process grant applications and to conduct studies necessary for the availability of certain grant programs.

A successful course for local and regional officials and other interested persons was sponsored by the RRPC. Information on housing, solid waste, subdivision regulation, environmental laws, aerial photography, population projections, census data, etc., has been prepared or made available.

Cost of the planning program has been nominal and local members have been consistent in supporting this cost. State and Federal funds on a matching basis have been helpful in continuing the work of the RRPC to assist localities. May we take this opportunity to thank the members for their support, both financial and of their time. Planning is time-consuming and adopting of regulations frustrating but necessary if the communities are to profit from inevitable growth and change.

The coming year will test further the ability and determination of communities to control their future(s). The RRPC stands ready to assist in these important efforts. We invite you to visit your office at 12 Wales Street.

Respectfully yours,  
ROGER G. BROWN, Poultney—Chairman  
RUSSELL L. MORGAN—Executive Director

**STATE OF VERMONT**  
**Department of Social Welfare**  
**Montpelier, Vermont**

For the past three years this department, as a courtesy, has furnished to each town and city the amounts spent and people aided in each locality under the various Social Welfare programs. This information replaced the previous annual report to each town of the charges that had been assessed against their community for their share of State operated welfare programs. The enactment of the Social Welfare Act of 1967 eliminated sharing in State welfare costs at the local level and, as a result, the requirement for reporting to the towns.

There has been a partial decentralization to welfare districts of the public assistance check writing process in an effort to equalize workloads and to more promptly render help to needy Vermonters. The checks are manually issued in the district offices and do not generate machine readable data input necessary to the computer program which has supplied the tables furnished on a town basis in the past. Producing the statistics by manual tabulation could not be justified in view of the expense involved in State tax dollars. Accordingly, the information is not being furnished to you this year.

When the welfare system is computerized, the department will again be in a position to furnish each town with individual welfare statistics as an inexpensive by-product of essential operations for informational purposes.

J. W. BETIT  
Commissioner

# VERMONT STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ANNUAL TOWN REPORT, F.Y. 1970-71

This is a report to the residents of your town describing the health services which have been rendered during the state fiscal year July 1, 1970 through June 30, 1971. These services are carefully planned so that maximum benefit may be gained from each tax dollar. For instance, one clinic may serve many towns if the number of patients is small. On the other hand, when a service is needed in a town or city, we make every effort to provide it.

I invite you to discuss this report with your friends and health officer and I would welcome any impressions which you care to forward to me.

The following is a list of some of the health services to the residents of West Rutland.

Number of Well-Child and School Medical Conferences, and Immunization Clinic held in this town	7
Attendance of town residents at above conference/clinics in this or nearby towns	355
Number of children aided under Child Health Programs (Child Development Clinic, Handicapped Children's Clinics, Pediatric Consultation and Diagnosis)	15
Attendance at dental health and brushing classes, and dental inspections	—
People X-rayed for tuberculosis detection	68
People X-rayed for occupational diseases	19
People served at tumor clinics or by tumor diagnostic screening services	5
Attendance at diabetes clinics or physician office screening for diabetes	18
Attendance at glaucoma screening clinics	9
Attendance at amblyopia screening clinics (3-5 yr. olds)	5
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping cough immunizations	25
Polio Immunizations	96
Smallpox Immunizations	68
Red Measles (rubeola) Immunizations	11
Rubella (German measles) Immunizations	21
Number of water samples (private & public supplies)	12
Blood specimens tested (pre-marital, pre-natal, & other)	86
Other laboratory specimens	82

Nutrition and dietary consultations, demonstrations, services	5
Inspections and consultations to hospitals, nursing homes, and homes for the aged	4
Sanitary inspections & consultations to licensed food & lodging establishments and to other public & private facilities	30
Public Health Nurse visits to individuals	201
Number served by above visits	98
Other consultations, program, and group service activities of Public Health Nurses to residents of this town, or held in this town for area residents	19

The Home Health Services program, in addition to providing for the survey of home health agencies as required by Medicare, works cooperatively with the Division of Public Health Nursing, works closely with the Vermont Assembly of Home Health Agencies and the Agency of Human Services in seeking the provision of certified home health care available to all the people of the state.

Respectfully submitted,

R. b. AIKEN, M.D., M.P.H.  
Commissioner of Health

# THE RUTLAND AREA VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, INC

This is a report to your town regarding the services provided by the area visiting nurse during 1971.

We have been giving service for the past two years without financial support from your town. Because of the large deficit accumulated, we now find it necessary to request town funds. Our deficit for last year was \$1,295.75. We made 308 bedside nursing visits along with providing supervisory, teaching, and evaluation visits to homes to determine needs. I will not have an accurate deficit figure for this year until our audit is finished in February.

The statistics for visits for 1971 are as follows:

Number of Visits per Month		Disease Classification Visits made	
January	32		
February	24	Injury	151
March	53	Cardiovascular Disease	54
April	22	Health Promotion	12
May	23	Cardiovascular Accident	20
June	41	Diabetes	119
July	49	Cancer	28
August	27	Arthritis	23
September	31	Surgical	2
October	32		
November	38	Total	409
December	37		
Total	409		

**HOW TO REACH THE VISITING NURSE:** Anyone in the Rutland Area who needs part-time nursing care at home may call the office from 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.



PAYMENT FOR SERVICES: Anyone who can is expected to pay the full fee. Those unable to do so receive the service for a part fee or fee through the support of the Assn. by the Rutland Regional United Fund and Town Funds.

Service that is offered is primarily bedside nursing in the home. With direction from the patient's physician, we give skilled nursing care, instruction in the care of patients to the family, treatments and medications, instruction in maternal and infant care during pregnancy and after the baby comes, family health guidance, physical therapy, speech therapy, and aide service.

Our staff is comprised of Registered Nurses, A Registered Physical Therapist, A Certified Speech Therapist, A Licensed Practical Nurse, a Home Health Aide, and an Orderly.

We are certified under the Medicare Program, therefore, making our service available to citizens in your area who qualify under this program.

This is a very needed service and we hope the people of the community will see the great need and support us so we may continue.

EVELYN MORGAN  
Director

## RECORD OF VITAL STATISTICS

Filed in Town Clerk's Office

1971

### BIRTHS

Name of Child	Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Mother's Name	Father's Name
Naomi Marie Arnado	10-13-71	Rutland	Emily Rubideau	Benny Arnado
Sara Ann Bathalon	6-25-71	Rutland	Vickie Graham	Roger Bathalon
Sarah Ruth Browning	3-23-71	Rutland	Florence Hixon	Homer Browning
Jonathan Alexander Combatti	1-22-71	Rutland	Cynthia Menard	John Combatti
Robin Marie Cornelius	11-25-71	Rutland	Barbara Carlson	Robert Cornelius
Sherry Ann Davis	4-11-71	Rutland	Audrey Royce	Dwight Davis
Russell James Doty	6- 3-71	Rutland	Nancy Bombard	Clifford Doty
Richard William Ferguson, Jr.	4-19-71	Rutland	Sharon Jenson	Richard Ferguson
Rebecca Marie Galarneau	5-15-71	Rutland	Mary Wilkins	David Galarneau
Nancy Ann Hall	3-14-71	Rutland	Helen Lewis	Herman Hall
Jennifer Ann Jackson	2- 4-71	Rutland	Joan Lebo	Harold Jackson
Mark Alan Jankowski	2-13-71	Rutland	Theresa Bania	John Jankowski
Craig Edward Jasmin	5- 8-71	Rutland	Theresa Swierzewski	Sidney Jasmin
Brenda Ann Lee	1- 9-71	Rutland	Theresa McLaughlin	Gordon Lee Jr.
Laura Lee McAllister	10-11-71	Rutland	Eva Cote	Garth McAllister
Kelly Jean Moyer	6-16-71	Rutland	Joann Wilder	Donald Moyer
Joel Peter Muscatello	5-10-71	Rutland	Patricia Cioffi	Peter Muscatello
Scott William Nichols	12-23-71	Rutland	Vera August	James Nichols

Tina Marie Palluotto	10-25-71	Rutland	Joyce Johnstone	Pasquale Palluotto
Priscilla Ann Ridlon	1-10-71	Rutland	Nancy Spencer	Edgar Ridlon
Sharon Ann Shea	3-18-71	Rutland	Therese Costello	Thomas Shea
Christine Michelle Smolinski	1-27-71	Rutland	Dorothy Goulette	Robert Smolinski
Brian Clinton Stoodley	1-29-71	Rutland	Gloria Jean Printy	Larry Stoodley
Laurie Ann Sutkoski	2-13-71	Rutland	Pauline Orzech	Henry Sutkoski
John Adam Trepanier	10-20-71	Rutland	Carolyn Gardner	Paul R. Trepanier
William Joseph Wilder	2-20-71	Rutland	Judith Gecha	Ronald Wilder

#### DEATHS

Name	Age	Date of Death	Place of Death	Residence
Delbert J. Barnard	83	4- 2-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Vincent J. Brytowski	58	3-28-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Roger P. Burhoe	64	10- 1-71	West Rutland	West Rutland
George A. Bruns	73	10- 6-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Rachel S. Cameron	69	1-17-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Victoria Chrusciel	83	9- 7-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Frank H. Czachor	48	12-12-71	Hartford Rural	West Rutland
Mary W. Domurot	70	4- 2-71	Burlington	West Rutland
Elizabeth G. Dziubek	47	4- 4-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Margaret F. Fleming	76	7-11-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Arthur F. Fredette	53	4- 9-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Wadislaw S. Godaliski	93	2-10-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Olive J. Hewes	86	6-15-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Roberta M. Hinckley	43	4-16-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Walter A. Hyjek	59	6-28-71	Hartford Rural	West Rutland

Anna W. Jarrosak	76	7- 5-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Florence Cecelia Johnson	65	5-13-71	West Rutland	West Rutland
Edward A. Kenny	74	2-11-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Leo F. McGann	62	2- 2-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph A. Maciejewski	89	2-17-71	West Rutland	West Rutland
John T. McLaughlin	63	11-16-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Nellie Kelley Parker	81	5- 4-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Ruth M. Parkman	74	4-17-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Peter Potowniak	78	6-19-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Stanley A. Przybyto	54	9- 4-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Josephine H. Razanouskos	72	9-22-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Rose L. Simonds	84	4-11-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Lloyd W. Smith	59	2-11-71	West Rutland	West Rutland
Charles W. Stevens	91	2-24-71	Hartford Rural	West Rutland
Albert R. Williams	64	3-16-71	Rutland	West Rutland
Michael D. Zakewski	82	12-20-71	West Rutland	West Rutland

## MARRIAGES

Name of Groom	Residence	Name of Bride	Residence	Place of Marriage
Leo A. Bathalon	West Rutland	Dolores M. Dydo	Castleton	West Rutland
William J. Boutwell	West Rutland	Carol A. McClure	Rutland	West Rutland
Barton Burke	West Rutland	Josephine M. Brown	West Rutland	West Rutland
Conrad A. Carruth	Shrewsbury	Debra E. Senecal	West Rutland	West Rutland
Francis S. Cecot	West Rutland	Deborah L. Raleigh	Rutland	Rutland
Robert C. Chandler	Rutland	Sharon K. Brown	West Rutland	Middlebury
Robert W. Clark	Chicopee, Mass.	Edna E. Herman	Chicopee, Mass.	West Rutland

Robert E. Dakin	Burlington	Maureen Pietryka	West Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph W. Donnelly	Rutland	Kathleen L. Fleming	West Rutland	West Rutland
Stanley P. Godleski	West Rutland	Charleen M. Burke	Rutland	Rutland
Edward J. Grabowski	West Rutland	Marie G. Bizzarro	Rutland	Rutland
Robert J. Gray, Jr.	West Rutland	Nancy A. Turner	Clarendon	West Rutland
George H. Grimm	West Rutland	Theresa M. Higgins	West Rutland	West Rutland
Robert A. Hewitt	West Rutland	Patricia M. Blair	West Rutland	West Rutland
Frederick A. Hughes	Fair Haven	Mary A. Tomaszewski	West Rutland	West Rutland
Stanley J. Jakubowski, Jr.	West Rutland	Theresa A. Grembowicz	West Rutland	West Rutland
Raymond P. Jepson	Burlington	Susan C. Gray	West Rutland	West Rutland
Robert L. Johnson	West Rutland	Margaret A. Terounzo	West Rutland	Rutland
Frank I. Jones	West Rutland	Janice M. Blackwood	Castleton	Castleton
Edward A. LaBelle	West Rutland	Helen A. Letourneau	Rutland	Rutland Town
Richard G. Lefevre	West Rutland	Andrea M. Lebo	Proctor	Proctor
Roy M. McCullough	West Rutland	Terry L. Duprey	West Rutland	West Rutland
Gary R. Miller	West Rutland	Catherine L. Kessop	Rutland	Weston
Lawrence A. Myhre	Rutland	Noreen F. Bruno	West Rutland	West Rutland
Ralph H. Perry, Jr.	Ira	Donna R. Ascoli	West Rutland	West Rutland
Joseph A. Skaza	West Rutland	Mary J. Thomas	Rutland	West Rutland
Michael J. Tatko, Jr.	Middle Granville N.Y.	Lenore C. Wasik	West Rutland	West Rutland
Andrew R. Turner	West Rutland	Eleanor M. Kalinowski	West Rutland	Rutland Town
Robert E. Wedin	West Rutland	Lucille M. Bathalon	West Rutland	West Rutland
Ted Wenta	Proctor	Lorraine A. Fuller	West Rutland	West Rutland
Peter C. Wicker	Millbrook, N. Y.	Gale M. Musetti	West Rutland	Rutland
David G. Wyand	S. Burlington	Mary K. Kenny	West Rutland	West Rutland

## SUMMARY OF VITAL STATISTICS—1971

Births	26
Deaths	31
Marriages	32

### WEST RUTLAND REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

I hereby submit my annual report as Superintendent of Schools to the taxpayers of West Rutland.

Mr. John Northrop was employed as Business Manager of the Rutland Central Supervisory Union District. Mr. Northrop has many years of accounting background and was Head Accountant of the Vermont Marble Company for 30 years. Because the West Rutland school budget has risen so markedly in the past few years, a man of John Northrop's caliber and background was needed for accountability to the taxpayers.

Margaret Bliss, a veteran teacher of 27 years to the West Rutland School District died on October 27, 1971 after a short illness. Miss Bliss was a friend to all and gave her free time willingly to work with children of West Rutland. All citizens, I am sure, and her colleagues will remember Margaret for her dedicated service and devotion to the children of West Rutland.

Mary Mulhern, Home Economics teacher and Esther Nelson, School Nurse, after 21 years and 19 years, respectively, decided to retire from the West Rutland School System. Both women leave difficult voids to be filled. The School Board Directors, Colleagues and children of West Rutland wish them a happy, healthy and rewarding retirement.

Even though there is a cloud of State High School Certification hanging over West Rutlands' educational system, many new and exciting educational projects were started this year.

During the autumn, the sixth grade pupils had an outdoor program of three intermittent days at Camp Betsy Cox in Pittsford, Vermont. The program was primarily designed to help teachers see their pupils in a different atmosphere, for guidance purposes. The side effects were overwhelmingly good. Natural Sciences

were taught and the children received first hand experiences with nature. Pupils and teachers came to know each other under a different set of circumstances. Socially the "underdog" achieved new status because of his ability to do things others could not do. Cliques of pupils were split because of new outdoor interests. Finally the classroom Natural Science programs had a much different meaning to the pupils once they returned to school.

The Learning Disabilities program is in full swing. The Learning Disability teacher is working with elementary as well as high school students, to help pupils with remedial problems. Speech therapy is being practiced every day and the use of the child psychologist has been doubled. A part time home to school coordinator is creating an easier flow of communication between parents and teachers.

A unique program to West Rutland and possibly to the State of Vermont is the "Introduction to Business" course being offered to the 7th graders. If all goes well, the course will be implemented in the 7th and 8th grades in September of 1972.

A new Ecology course, never before in West Rutland, is being taught to the high school students.

A co-educational Home Economics chef's class was started this year which is a break from the traditional course that was offered.

A T.V. Tape program was started. The educational advantage has gone beyond all expectations. Evening programs are being taped and being replayed in classes. School plays and musicals are taped and replayed to classes and parents. Reading programs are being taped and being replayed to primary grades. The program has opened an industry here-to-fore unknown to West Rutland students.

The West Rutland Rotary sponsored a "Career Day" for the High School pupils. Twenty-four people from industry spoke of careers opened to pupils upon graduation from high school, technical school or college. The program was very successful. The planning for next year will also include the junior high students. A chosen life's work is very important and one is never too young to plan for the future.

The girls of the system are being given opportunity to participate more in school activities. There is Organized Cheerleading from the 5th grade on. Girl's softball and basketball teams have been started.

During the summer and fall of 1971, West Rutland participated for a Federal Grant called the "Experimental School". Eventually there were approximately 30 community workers who had, in the words of Winston Churchill, given "their blood, sweat and tears" to finalize the project. The plan was not funded, but many exciting thoughts were projected from the discussions of the different groups. Some of the ideas I heard were as follows;

1. The 12 year olds know as much today as the 16 year olds of a short time ago.

2. School Systems seemed to be modeled on a version of the adults own childhood. The school of our youth, for the most part, is a nostalgic non-existent past.

3. Until the turn of the century, United States culture was agrarian in nature. Education was tied in with the past. The Industrial Revolution has changed this pattern and we are now teaching for the present.

4. We are now in a Second Industrial Revolution and technology is changing our lives very rapidly. Our schools should be educating our youth not only of the past and present, but also of the future.

C H A N G E is the byword.

One thought from the Experimental School group that came out loud and clear was that the local school reflected the major invested tax money in a physical plant and the school would be a logical place to use for community programs. The gain would be in making fuller use of costly facilities and thus a greater return on the tax dollar.

The Community Group is presently working as an advisory committee to the School Board. Through a survey sent to taxpayers it was found that there is a large unused reservoir of talent among men and women in the community that can add insight into the West Rutland educational system.



At this writing, the following courses are being taught evenings—knitting, sewing, woodworking, folk singing, and child care.

Meetings are being held with the Library Trustees to pave the way for a combination School and Town Library. The combining of the two programs will add books to the citizens library for community use. An added attraction is that the school plant will be alleviated of much needed space because of state requirements.

As Superintendent, I hope that the enthusiasm of the group continues for community involvement is very much needed in our society today.

In closing this report, I wish to express my appreciation to the West Rutland School Board of Directors, the Community Involvement Committee, the town officials and the citizens for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. ZANI

## SCHOOL NURSE REPORT—1971

January 13, 14—Audiogram testing was administered at St. Stanislaus School. I found one pupil with a hearing loss and the parents were duly notified.

January 18—Our dental program started with Mrs. Dan Randall as our dental hygienist.

January 19, 21—Permission slips were sent home for Oral Polio immunization in grades 1 through 8.

January 25—Permission slips for Oral Sabin were sent home at St. Stanislaus School.

January 26, 28—Completion of weighing, measuring, audiogram and audiometric testing for grade 8.

February 4—Oral Sabin clinics were held at St. Stanislaus School and Main Street School. Trivalent boosters (65), type I (64), type II (7), and type III (6) were given to 142 pupils at these clinics. Public Health Nurse, Miss Marion Segale, School Nurse, Mrs. Esther Nelson, and Recorder, Mrs. Leonard Digangi were in charge.

February 9, 11—Audiometric tests were given at St. Stanislaus School for grades 1 through 8.

March 9, 10, 11, 12, 16—Audiogram and audiometric tests were given to grades 10, 11, and 12. These students were also weighed and measured.

March 17—A make-up Oral Sabin clinic was held at the Main Street School. Trivalent type II (43), type I (7), and boosters (4) were given to 54 pupils. Public Health Nurse, Miss Marion Segale, School Nurse, Mrs. Esther Nelson, Recorder, Mrs. Robert Napolitano were in charge.

March 18—Audiogram testing, audiometric testing, weighing, and measuring were completed for grade 9.

March 23, 25, 26—High school health records were completed.

April 1—I attended a meeting for school nurses at the Bardwell Hotel.

April 13, 15—Audiogram and audiometric testing was completed at St. Stanislaus school and the kindergarten school.

April 20, 22, 23—All health records for the kindergarten and St. Stanislaus schools were completed.

I worked with the dental hygienist two days a week.

School conferences were held under the supervision of the Vermont Department of Health.

If a child was hurt during the school session and required either a doctor's care or X-rays the school nurse saw that this matter was properly attended to.

There were many cases of colds, grippe and sore throats.

MRS. ESTHER NELSON R.M.

School Nurse  
Truant Officer

## **SCHOOL HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

### **Report from August 31, 1971 to January 20, 1972**

A School Health Committee was formed comprised of Mrs. Jody Poljacik, Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Mrs. Joan Bishop, Mrs. Joan Pluta, Mrs. Judy Bloomer, Mrs. Jean Napolitano, Mrs. Faye Wener, Mrs. Gladys DiGangi, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Mary Piontek, Mrs. Marcia Smith, Mrs. Dorothy Wilk, and Miss Patty Johnson, for the public school. Mrs. Vicky Bania, Mrs. Theresa Jankowski and Mrs. Helen Callahan for St. Stanislaus School.

Three immunization clinics have been held on October 12 and 19 and November 19, 227 immunizations were given. 37 physical examinations were one by Dr. Frank Smolinski, accompanied by Public Health nurse, school nurse and members of School Health Department.

Audio-Visual testing has been completed on students in grades 1 through 7, and grade 9 on the Main Street school, and grades 1 through 8 at St. Stanislaus School. Three students have been referred to VAC for further hearing evaluations. Thirty students were referred for further visual evaluation to their own ophthalmologist or optometrist.

A Throat Culture Program has been established in conjunction with the State Department of Health in Burlington. Seventy-three throat swabs of date, have been sent to Burlington, 22 resulting in positive-beta strep infections. All children were referred to their private physicians, who then prescribed treatment for them.

Dental-Brush-Ins were conducted by State Dental hygienist and school nurse for grades K through 6 in the public school.

A TB Tine Program was conducted on January 17 for grades 1 and 8, both schools, plus staff. 167 took advantage of this program.

First-aid has been rendered to 651 students with referrals for follow-up care, being followed through.

A Vitamin Program, sponsored by the PTO is in force in both schools, grades 1-6 for students that have parental permission.

Meetings pertaining to school health, School Health Programs and problems, legal aspects in school nursing, etc. were attended at Trinity College for 3 days in August and October, at the Center for Neurological disorders and hearing disabilities at Central Vermont Hospital in Burlington, pertaining to Audio-Visual perception.

Home visits have been made when needed or on parental request. Ill children have been transported when necessary.

A dental hygienist will be available for cleaning and fluoride treatments in March, April and May.

LORRAINE DAVIS, RN,

School Nurse

# WEST RUTLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

	Budget 1971-72	Budget Anticipated 1971-72	Budget Estimated 1972-73
School Board Salaries & Expenses	\$ 2,475	\$ 2,400	\$ 2,400
Treasurer's Salary	4,200	4,200	4,600
Superintendent's Office	18,477	18,477	19,000
Learning Disability Program	2,000	2,000	2,000
Student Testing and Scheduling	—	—	1,000
Secretary's Salary	4,000	3,640	3,840
Educational Salaries	284,500	281,000	300,000
Textbooks	7,215	4,000	3,500
Library Books—Audio Visual Materials	5,751	3,000	7,000
Instructional Materials	12,033	9,000	9,000
Other Instructional Cost	3,675	4,200	4,500
Transportation			
Drivers, Bus, Maint., Athletic			
Trips, Vocational and Special Ed.	8,500	12,000	14,000
Custodian and Helpers	13,000	16,000	20,000
Contracted Services	—	—	400
Heating Fuel	9,500	10,500	12,000
Utilities: Light and Power	6,400	5,400	7,500
Telephone	950	1,300	1,700
Custodial Supplies	3,000	4,500	4,500
Repairs and Upkeep	14,260	10,000	14,000
Insurance and Fixed Charges	4,400	7,300	8,000
Social Security	13,500	15,500	16,500
Student Act. and Safety Patrol	1,200	2,200	2,300
Interscholastic Athletics	2,500	3,500	3,500
Capital Outlay	12,162	5,000	19,528
Outgoing Tuition	3,400	8,200	11,000
Contingency	2,500	2,500	2,500
Sub Total	439,598	435,817	494,268
Heating and Ventilating	—	15,400	—
Interest	—	393	—
Total	\$439,598	\$451,610	\$494,268

# WEST RUTLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

## RECEIPTS

	1971-72 Budget	1971-72 Estimate	1972-73 Budget
State Building Aid 20%	3,200	3,245	3,000
State Aid	66,000	75,142	90,000
Additional State Aid	—	2,683	—
Tuition Received	60,000	62,800	63,000
Late Tuition	—	8,040	—
Non Revenue Receipts	500	675	—
Vocational Transportation	1,000	1,000	1,000
Athletic Receipts	1,500	1,400	1,500
Driver Education	2,000	900	1,000
Title III NDEA	—	525	500
Transportation IRA	—	704	700
Substitutes—Experimental School	—	550	—
Cash Balance July 1	—	(20,906)	(21,958)
Total Receipts w/o Taxes	134,200	136,758	138,742
Local Taxation	305,398	273,095	355,526
Sub Total	439,598	409,853	494,268
Heating and Vent. (.29)	—	19,799	—
Total	439,598	429,652	494,268
Debt Reduction (.29)	—	—	19,799

### NOTE:

Three Experimental and Development persons,—10% being absorbed by the School Budget—90% being paid by Federal Grant.

## RUTLAND CENTRAL SUPERVISORY UNION

	1970-1971 Budget	1971-1972 Budget
Superintendent:		
Salary	\$18,000.00	\$19,500.00
Travel	1,000.00	1,200.00
Business Manager:		
Salary	11,500.00	12,150.00
Travel	1,000.00	1,200.00
Secretary:		
Salary	6,000.00	6,350.00
Office:		
Rent & Utilities	2,500.00	2,400.00
Secretary-Treasurer		
Salary	1,000.00	250.00
Social Security	1,500.00	1,364.00
Telephone	850.00	900.00
Insurance & Bonds	150.00	150.00
Supplies	1,500.00	1,900.00
Equipment	500.00	235.00
Contingency	500.00	200.00
Miscellaneous		850.00
Deficit of 1969-1970	1,000.00	
Deficit of 1970-1971	438.41	
	\$47,438.41	\$48,649.00

West Rutland's share toward the Supervisory Union Budget is \$16,920.12  
Proctor's share toward the Supervisory Union Budget is \$19,566.63 Rutland  
Town's share toward the Supervisory Union Budget is \$12,162.25.



## TEACHING PERSONNEL

The list of teachers for the school year 1971-1972 with the years of experience, subjects taught and salary is as follows:

Teacher	Grade or Subject	Salary 1971-1972	Years of Experience
Robert R. Zimmerman	Principal	\$14,310.00	37
Francis R. Beaulieu	Asst. Principal		
	Athletic Director		
	Baseball Coach	8,600.00	3
Stanley A. Blicharz	Jr. High Basketball Coach	250.00	2
Richard P. Bourgeois	French	6,668.00	
Alene Brown	Grade 4	9,212.00	32
Joan T. Burdett	Art Supervisor	3,970.00	
		50% time	2
Richard A. Burke	Librarian	5,955.00	4 <sup>r</sup>
Michael J. Caliguiri, Jr.	Health, Phys. Ed. & Science	7,536.00	3
Anita Carleton	Grade 5	6,668.00	2
Stephanie Cramer	Girls Phys. Ed.	8,894.00	&
Lorraine S. Davis	School Nurse	5,200.00	1
Joyce P. Denno	Grade 6 and Music	7,304.00	4
Daniel H. Deuel	Math 7-8-9 & Science	6,986.00	
	Basketball Coach	650.00	3
Mary Ann Eagan	English 9 & 10	8,258.00	
	Yearbook Bus. Super.	100.00	5
Rosemarie M. Fuller	Learning Disabilities		
	English & Social Studies		
	Grades 10-12	2,150.00	
		28% time	3
Don H. Grout	Math 7-8-9		
	Mechanical Drawing	8,576.00	2
Bernice Hinchey	Guidance Grades 7-12	10,802.00	44
David H. Kinsman	Business Subjects	6,986.00	
	Jr. Basketball Coach	350.00	3
Eric C. Letendre	Industrial Arts	7,622.00	2
Janet B. Marchinkoski	Grade 1	7,304.00	4
Peter C. Marsh	English 11-12	8,894.00	
	Yearbook Advisor	200.00	6
Katherine McDevitt	Remedial Reading		
	Grades 2-8	11,052.00	12½
Anne S. Mero	Grade 3	7,622.00	4
Brenda Miner	Business Education	6,350.00	1

Anna T. Mullaney	Grade 6	8,894.00	50
Mary D. Przybylo	Grade 2	9,212.00	23
Carolyn E. Raiford	Science 10-12	8,417.00	5½
Joseph J. Salengo	English 7-9	8,894.00	8
Cecelia S. Scott	Grade 2	8,258.00	7
Michael R. Slattery	Grade 5	9,530.00	
	Head Teacher Town		
	Hall	200.00	7
Richard H. Smyrski	Social Studies 7-9	9,212.00	10
Grace A. Valente	Grade 1	7,304.00	4
Ellen N. Wade	Home Economics	7,940.00	6
Arthur L. Westcot	Social Studies	7,940.00	6
Joseph J. Zawistoski	Math 7-12	10,802.00	34

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR ATHLETICS 1971-1972

## Football:

Disbursements	\$2,472.12
Income	<u>895.00</u>
	\$1,577.12

## Basketball:

Disbursements	\$1,970.58
Income	<u>1,694.00</u>
	\$ 276.58

## Baseball:

Disbursements	\$ 792.34
Income	<u>None</u>
	\$ 792.34

# **BALANCE SHEET TOWN OF WEST RUTLAND**

	December 31, 1971				
Assets:	General	Highway	Equipment	Town Farm	Sewer
Cash	\$ 4,789.06	\$ 494.81	\$ 2,824.21	\$ 1,482.60	\$ 152.42
Delinquent Taxes Collected & held by Tax Collector	1,319.45				
Est. Delinquent Taxes	6,500.00				
Highway—Over-Advance	13,246.69				
Sewer Acct.—Over-Advance	2,941.85				
R. G. Letendre Corp. Road Repair Refund		3,205.37			
Proctor Trust Co.—Savings. Account				20,207.14	
Total Assets	\$ 28,797.05	\$ 3,700.18	\$ 2,824.21	\$ 21,689.74	\$ 152.42
<b>Liabilities:</b>					
Proctor Trust Co.—Loan	30,000.00		3,000.00		75,000.00
General Account		13,246.69			2,941.85
Total Liabilities	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 13,246.69	\$ 3,000.00	—	\$ 77,941.85
Less Assets	28,797.05	3,700.18	2,824.21	21,689.74	152.42
Liabilities over Assets	\$ 1,202.95	\$ 9,546.51	\$ 175.79		\$ 77,789.43
Assets over Liabilities				\$ 21,689.74	
Sewer Bond—State of Vermont					\$520,000.00

## LISTERS' REPORT FOR 1971

West Rutland's 1971 grand list is:

Real estate	59,297.95
Personal property	7,283.87
1128 polls	<u>1,692.00</u>
	<u>\$68,273.82</u>

### Exemptions

The town has voted exemptions on new residences (for three years), on fraternal properties (for ten years) and on livestock (until revoked); and on new industrial properties, but none qualified in 1971. In 1971 these exemptions cost every taxpayer about seven cents of the \$5.95 tax rate—residences about two cents, fraternal properties less than one cent and livestock a little over four cents—and under the present formula will also cost the town some amount by reducing state aid to West Rutland schools.

Our poll tax census shows 1503 people over 21 living in West Rutland, of whom 375 were exempt: 277 because of age, 72 as veterans, their wives and widows, 26 in three other classes of exemption. In 1972 we must enroll all over 18.

Veterans and their wives and widows must file with us before May 1, 1972 claims for exemption and Veterans Administration certificates to obtain 1972 exemptions.

### Reassessment

Current sales show that land and buildings are valued too low in our grand list. When this happens the less valuable properties (probably) and the polls (certainly) are bearing more than their share of taxes. Obviously a reassessment of the town is called for, and obviously three part-time listers can't do it. We have the following estimates of the cost of reappraisal:

	Updating	Reappraisal
Vermont State Tax Department	\$7,000	\$14,000
Archibald & Hawthorne, Inc. professional appraisers		9,500

The choice is between the State's estimate of \$7,000 to "update" their 1966 appraisal and Archibald & Hawthorne's estimate of \$9,500 for a complete reappraisal. We see two disadvantages in an "updating": it would tend to preserve mistakes that occurred in 1966 and since; and it would to some extent destroy the record of the appraisals in effect from 1967 to 1972. We urge the voters to authorize the town to engage Archibald & Hawthorne, Inc. to make a complete reappraisal, to be finished in time for the 1973 grand list, for \$9,500, and vote a tax of seven cents on the grand list of 1972, and an equivalent tax in 1973, to pay for it.

#### **Lost taxes**

Our claim for lost taxes, rejected January 18, 1971 by the State Highway Board, was appealed to the State Tax Department; rejected by the State Tax Commissioner without a hearing; and appealed to the State Supreme Court which decided we must be heard. We are now waiting for the Tax Commissioner to appoint three appraisers to hear our appeal.

WALTER P. GALLIPEAU  
 GEORGE J. COVALT  
 CHARLES S. GLIDDEN, JR.

## **PUBLIC INFORMATION: "ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER"**

Dear Town Resident:

I have been appointed Town Environmental officer of the Town of West Rutland upon request of Governor Deanne C. Davis. In this capacity as local environmental officer designated by municipal governing body, I shall be cooperating with and assisting the Agency of Environmental Conservation to disseminate information and to provide assistance to individuals of the town to clean up our environmental problems.

If you think you may be doing something that is regulated by the State, such as air pollution, including open burning, water pollution, land development and so on and want to find out how to comply with State laws, please feel free to call on me. If I can't answer your questions, I can at least put you in contact with a State official who can.

It is not my purpose to act as a complaint bureau rather I want to help people help themselves in preserving the quality of the town and the state. Particular attention may be focused on the substantial number of abandoned "junk" vehicles on various properties, the dilapidated condition of many buildings and the littered debris around them. It is your community and you are a part of it. "Lets do the job ourselves, between ourselves."

Sincerely,

ADAM J. KREMPA  
Town Environmental Officer

## REPORT OF WEST RUTLAND RECREATION COMMITTEE

In March of 1971, the Selectmen asked for volunteer help to oversee a summer recreation program. A committee of town residents was formed, and weekly meetings began as of April in preparation for the summer program. The committee presented the Selectmen with their proposals for needed equipment. The Selectmen, who controlled all funds, reviewed our proposals and allocated the necessary funds.

After interviewing candidates for playground directors, we hired Miss Jean Wiskoski and Mr. Richard Pietryka, both natives of West Rutland. They attended a state sponsored playground directors school at Green Mountain College, Poultney. We started on June 21, 1971 and continued for eight weeks. At each weekly meeting of the committee, our playground directors presented us with a program for the following week, at which time we screened for well rounded activities. All needed supplies were then purchased weekly by one of our committee. Our goal was to enable children to play in groups, both large and small, as well as to do things on their own. The arts and crafts programs were well received by the younger children, and in 1972, we hope to develop more arts and crafts for the older children.

Due to the closing of Sobotka's for renovations, our directors conducted an afternoon playground session with varying attendance. This proved to be difficult because of the extreme hot weather. However, our morning session attendance exceeded one hundred children which was more than in recent years. This summer our new swimming area will eliminate the need for an afternoon program. We are very proud to say that our equipment was returned in excellent condition with no losses. At the end of the program and with the children's cooperation, we sponsored a picnic with a special Olympic Day format. It is hoped that this will become an annual event.

The entire program went extremely well with our limited equipment and personnel, as the numbers in regular attendance indicated proof of its success. We wish to publicly thank the Selectmen and the many people who donated their time to help us achieve our purpose.

PETER J. MUSCATELLO, Chairman  
JOAN A. DALEY  
MARGARET F. HARVEY  
THEODORE J. KRAMARZ  
HAROLD C. WILKINS, JR.